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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Francis C. Carroll

Group Art Unit 3728

Serial No. 09/027,867

Examiner Marie Patterson

Filed: February 23, 1998

For: SPORTS SHOE CLEATS

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 29, 1999, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 11 and 12.

Claim 9: Line 2, delete "threaded stud" and insert -- shoe
attaching member --.

R E M A R K S

Claim 9 has been amended to provide proper antecedence.
Claims 11 and 12 have been cancelled.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the rejection of
Claims 1, 15 and 21 (and claims dependent therefrom) as being

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